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State Department Has Large Staff Of Top Executives

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The Department of State of the United States is a big organization with many officials and is involved in far-flung ramifications of world and domestic affairs.

Editors who attended the Foreign Policy Briefing of the State Department in Washington this week, besides getting an insight into foreign policy, also got acquainted with most of the top executives. The newsmen had a job in checking titles with personnel. It was new enlightenment on the number of secretaries, assistant secretaries, under secretaries and deputy secretaries it takes to head the State Department.

This does not take into account the army of employees and desk workers required to keep the wheels of diplomacy running smoothly. Such inside knowledge demonstrates the need for 23 million dollar office buildings to house the organization.

This is the time of the year when students make tourist trips to Washington. Those who get the opportunity to go should take time out not only to see the buildings but to get some information about what goes on inside. They'll find out that the State Department consists of more than a secretary of state.

When it is considered that the State Department deals with a vast program, a survey of the agency setup shows that all units are well staffed and well organized in their respective fields of action.

Here is a list of the executive timber that took part in the Briefing Conference:

Dean Rusk, Secretary of State.

Roger W. Tubby, Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs.

John M. Steeves, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs.

Alfred S. Jenkins, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs.

James E. Webb, Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Hugh L. Dryden, Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Philip H. Combs, Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs.

Carl T. Rowan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs.

Adlai E. Stevenson, U. S. Representative in the United Nations.

Adolf A. Berle, Chairman of the Task Force in Latin America.

G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

Charles E. Bohlen, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State.

Philip M. Stern, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs.

Foy D. Kohler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs.

Roger W. Jones, Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration.

George W. Ball, Under Secretary of State for Economic Affairs.

Edward W. Murrow, Director of United States Information Agency.

Allen W. Dulles, Director of Central Intelligence Agency.

Chester Bowles, Under Secretary of State.

Others who addressed the editors were:

Roswell L. Gilpatric, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Lieut. Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Director of Joint Staff.

President John F. Kennedy.